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PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Tadashi EZAKI ) Group Art Unit: 2616  
Application No.: 09/841,845 ) Examiner: Jamie J. Vent  
Filed: April 25, 2001 )  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ) Confirmation No.: 5834  
TRANSMITTING A SIGNAL, )  
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR )  
RECEIVING A SIGNAL, VBI )  
SIGNAL GENERATING )  
APPARATUS, VIDEO SIGNAL )  
TRANSMITTING APPARATUS, )  
VIDEO SIGNAL PROCESSING )  
APPARATUS, VIDEO SIGNAL )  
RECEIVING APPARATUS, )  
DECODING APPARATUS, AND )  
RECORDING MEDIUM FOR )  
RECORDING A VIDEO SIGNAL )

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed August 9, 2005, the period for response to which extends through November 9, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in light of the following remarks:

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.